PRESS RELEASE IOWA BOARD OF MEDICINE (May 21, 2008)

Recently, the Iowa Board of Medicine took the following action:

William L. Dull, M.D., a 61 year-old physician who practices in Iowa City, Iowa, entered into a Settlement Agreement with the Board. On July 18, 2007, the Board charged Dr. Dull with failing to fully comply with the laws and rules governing the treatment of patients with chronic pain. On May 15, 2008, Dr. Dull entered into a Settlement Agreement with the Board to resolve pending disciplinary charges. Under the terms of the Settlement Agreement, Dr. Dull was issued a public reprimand, ordered to pay a \$5,000 fine and he agreed not to prescribe controlled substances for the treatment of patients with chronic pain in an outpatient setting.

David J. Heine, M.D., a 39 year-old family physician who formerly practiced in Decorah, Iowa, entered into a Settlement Agreement with the Board. On June 11, 2007, Dr. Heine had criminal charges filed against him for Third Degree Burglary, Theft of Property and Trespassing in Fillmore County, Minnesota. Dr. Heine allegedly entered two Minnesota high schools in May 2007, and stole sporting goods and apparel. On March 12, 2008, the Board charged Dr. Heine with engaging in unprofessional conduct. Dr. Heine completed a comprehensive evaluation and the Board concluded that he does not pose an immediate risk to patients and he is safe to practice medicine. On May 15, 2008, Dr. Heine entered into a Settlement Agreement with the Board to resolve the pending disciplinary charges. Under the terms of the Settlement Agreement, Dr. Heine was issued a public reprimand, ordered to pay a \$2,500 fine and he was placed on probation for three years subject to ongoing counseling and Board monitoring.

Kory M. Kazarian, M.D., a 47 year-old physician who formerly practiced in Decorah, Iowa, had his Iowa medical license indefinitely suspended by the Board. On September 13, 2007, the Board charged Dr. Kazarian with substance abuse and suffering from a mental health condition which impairs his ability to practice medicine with reasonable skill and safety. Dr. Kazarian has a long history of abuse of prescription medications, illicit drugs and alcohol and he abused drugs while practicing medicine. He also has history of antisocial and criminal conduct. The Board determined that Dr. Kazarian is not safe to practice medicine at this time. Under the terms of the Settlement Agreement, the Board indefinitely suspended Dr. Kazarian's Iowa medical license. The Board will only consider reinstatement of Dr. Kazarian's license if he demonstrates that he is safe to practice medicine and it is in the public interest for his license to be reinstated.

Narinder K. Saini, M.D., a 61 year-old psychiatrist who practices in Madison, Wisconsin, had his Iowa medical license reinstated by the Board. On August 7, 1990, the Board indefinitely suspended Dr. Saini's Iowa medical license due to concerns that he suffered from a mental health condition which impaired his ability to practice medicine with reasonable skill and safety. Dr. Saini recently applied for reinstatement of his Iowa license. On May 15, 2008, the Board reinstated Dr. Saini's Iowa medical license after concluding that he demonstrated that he does not suffer from a mental health condition which impairs his ability to practice medicine at this time. Dr. Saini must contact the Iowa Physician Health Program (IPHP) at least sixty (60) days prior to practicing medicine under his Iowa medical license and he must fully comply with all recommendations of the IPHP.